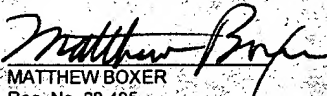


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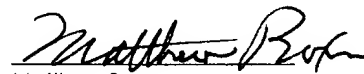
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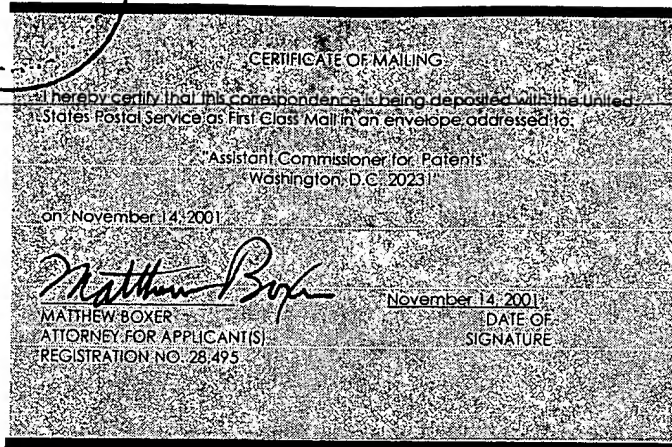
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED AUGUST 15, 2001**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 15, 2001, kindly amend the captioned application as follows: